

# Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

## Texas State Operations Center



## Situation Awareness Brief



Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup> 2018  
As of 0900 CST

# Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

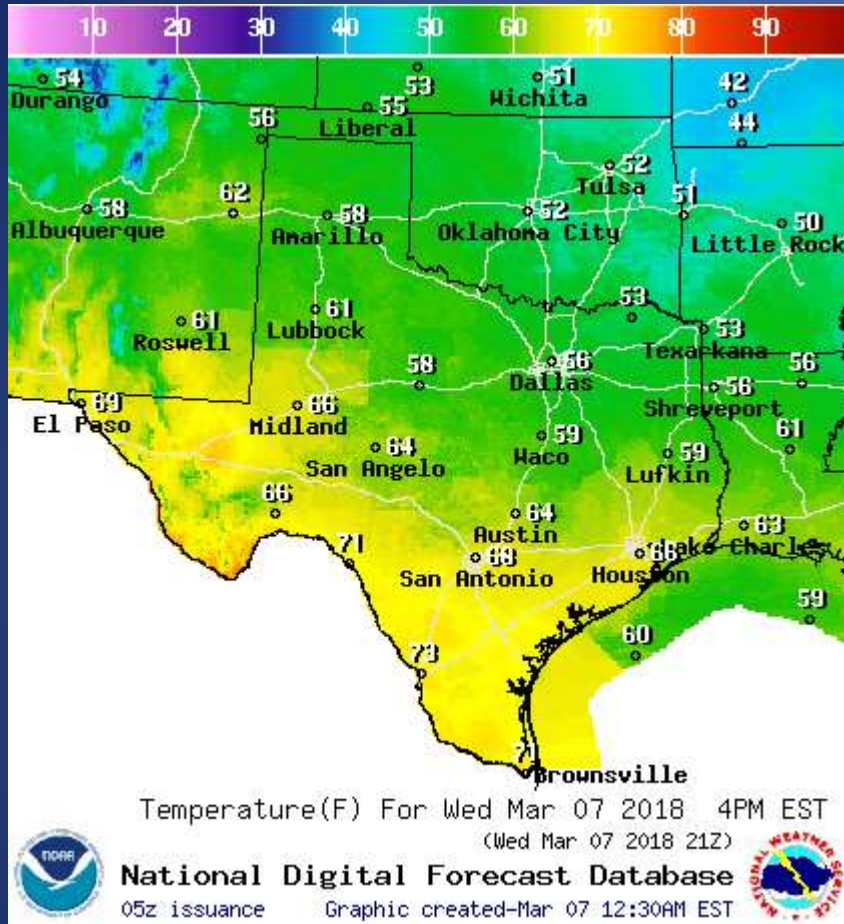
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
03/06/18	Final Report of a Road Closure (US 75)	Collin County	Y
03/06/18	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US-59)	Goliad County	N
03/06/18	Initial Report of the Old Moody Ranch Fire	Val Verde County	N
03/06/18	Initial Report of a Wildfire	Archer County	N
03/06/18	Final Report of a Road Closure (US-59)	Goliad County	Y
03/06/18	Update to Report of the Myers Wildfire	Archer County	N
03/06/18	Report of the Clary Wildfire	Lampasas County	Y
03/06/18	Final Report of the Myers Wildfire	Archer County	Y

# Informational Products

## Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
03/06/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Tuesday, March 6, 2018 for FEMA Region 6
03/07/18	FEMA Region 6 Daily Situation Awareness Brief
03/07/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Wednesday, March 7, 2018 for FEMA Region 6

# Weather Forecast



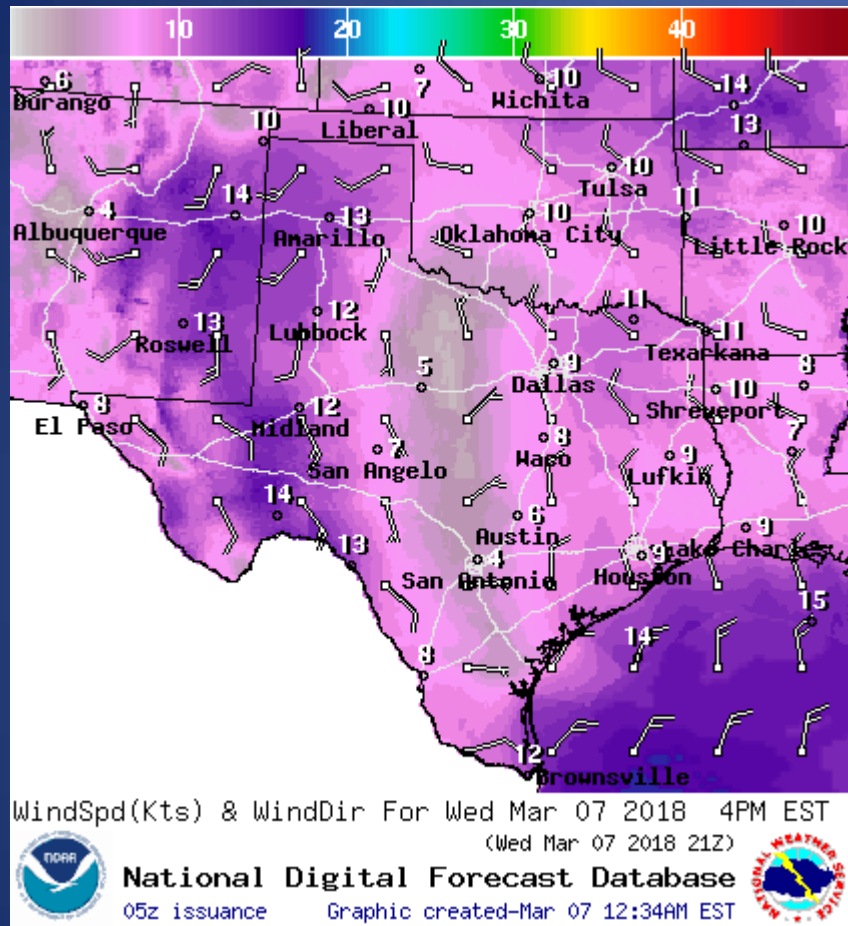
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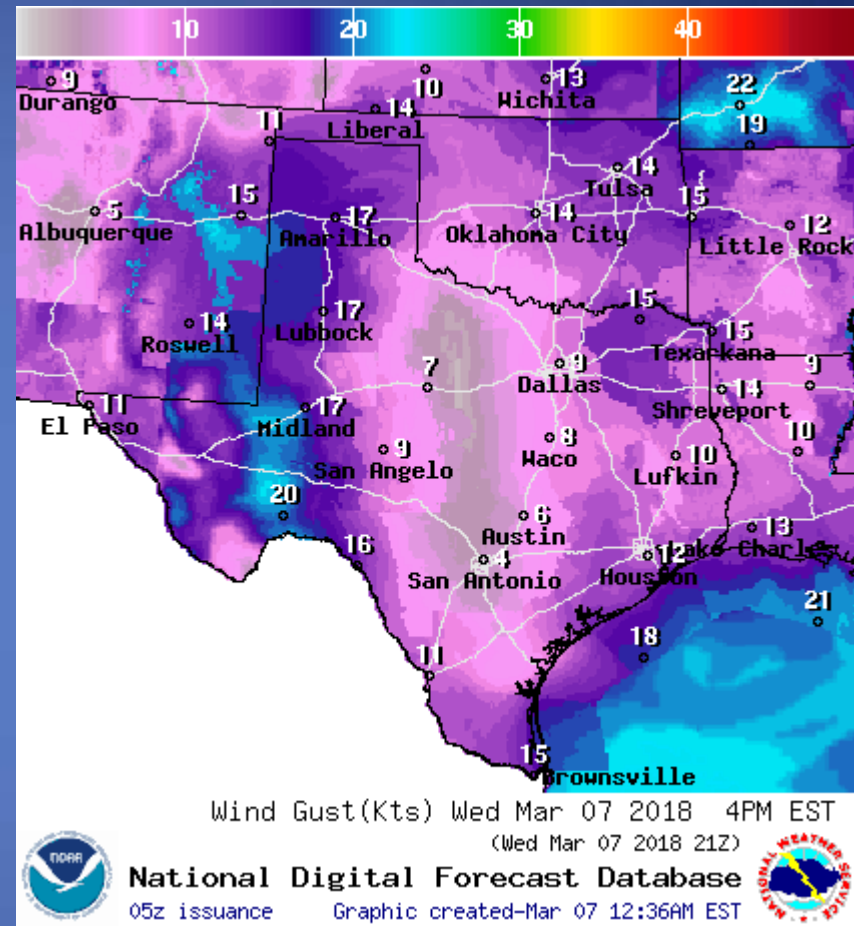
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## Wind Speeds



## Gusts

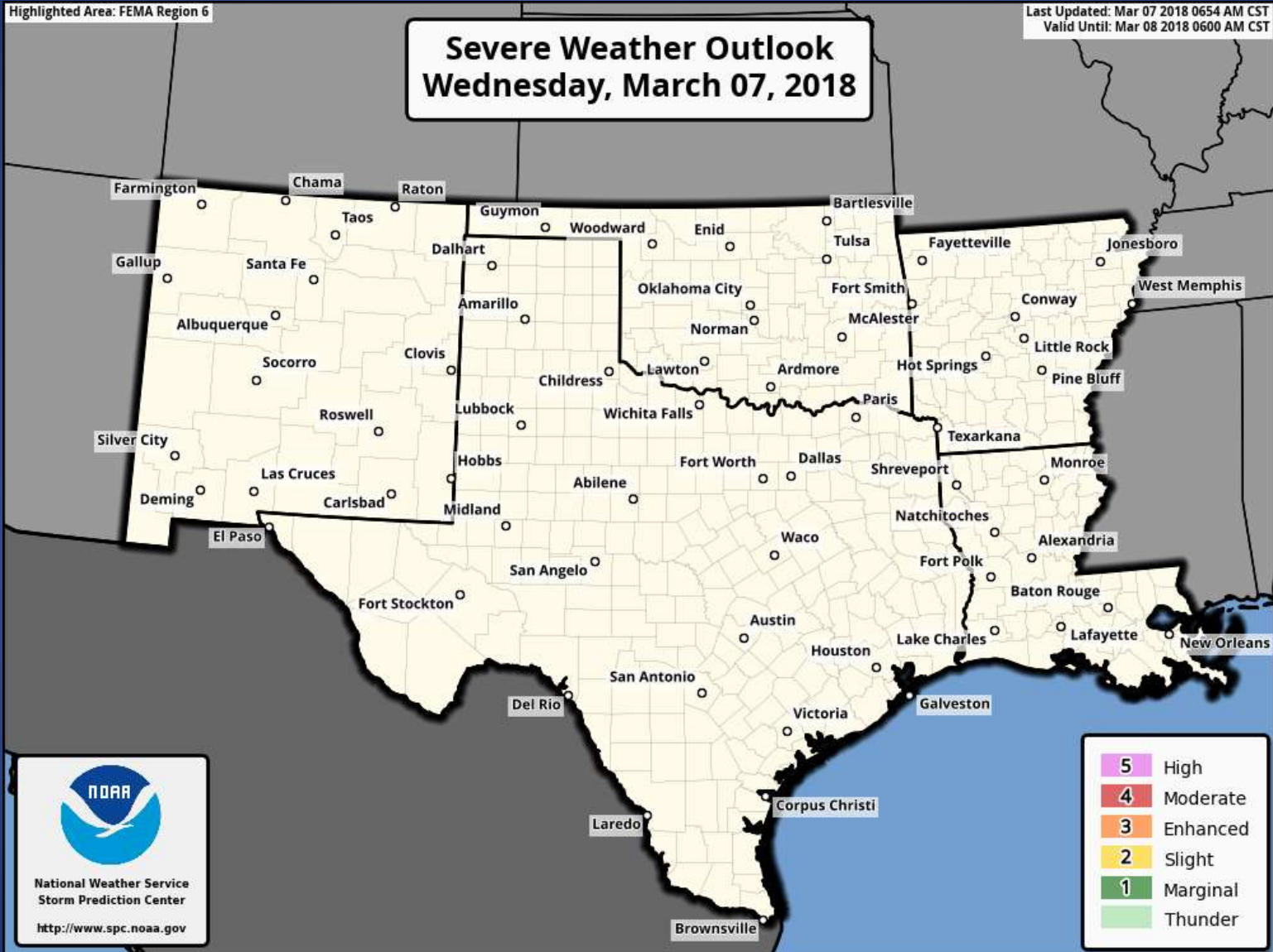
# Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: Mar 07 2018 0654 AM CST  
Valid Until: Mar 08 2018 0600 AM CST

# Severe Weather Outlook

## Wednesday, March 07, 2018



# Hazardous Weather



Dry southerly winds will trend breezier this afternoon on the Caprock where an elevated wildfire danger exists. Expect highs around 60 area wide under mostly sunny skies.



# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
03/06/18	Flood Warning Continues	Angelina River near Lufkin affecting Angelina, Cherokee and Nacogdoches Counties; Big Cypress Bayou at Caddo Lake at Mooringsport affecting Cass, Harrison and Marion Counties; Black Cypress Bayou at Jefferson affecting Cass and Marion Counties; Neches River near Alto affecting Anderson, Cherokee, Houston and Trinity Counties; Neches River near Diboll affecting Angelina, Houston, Polk, Trinity and Tyler Counties; Neches River near Neches affecting Anderson, Cherokee and Houston Counties; Sabine River Near Beckville affecting Gregg, Harrison, Panola and Rusk Counties; Sabine River Near Gladewater affecting Gregg, Smith, Upshur and Wood Counties; Sabine River Near Hawkins affecting Smith, Upshur and Wood Counties; Sabine River At Longview affecting Gregg and Rusk Counties; Sabine River Near Mineola affecting Smith and Wood Counties; South Sulphur River near Cooper affecting Delta and Hopkins Counties; Sulphur River near Talco affecting Franklin, Morris, Red River and Titus Counties; Trinity River In Liberty affecting Chambers and Liberty Counties; Trinity River Near Long Lake (Oakwood) affecting Anderson, Freestone and Leon Counties; Trinity River Near Moss Bluff affecting Chambers and Liberty Counties; Trinity River At Trinidad affecting Henderson and Navarro Counties



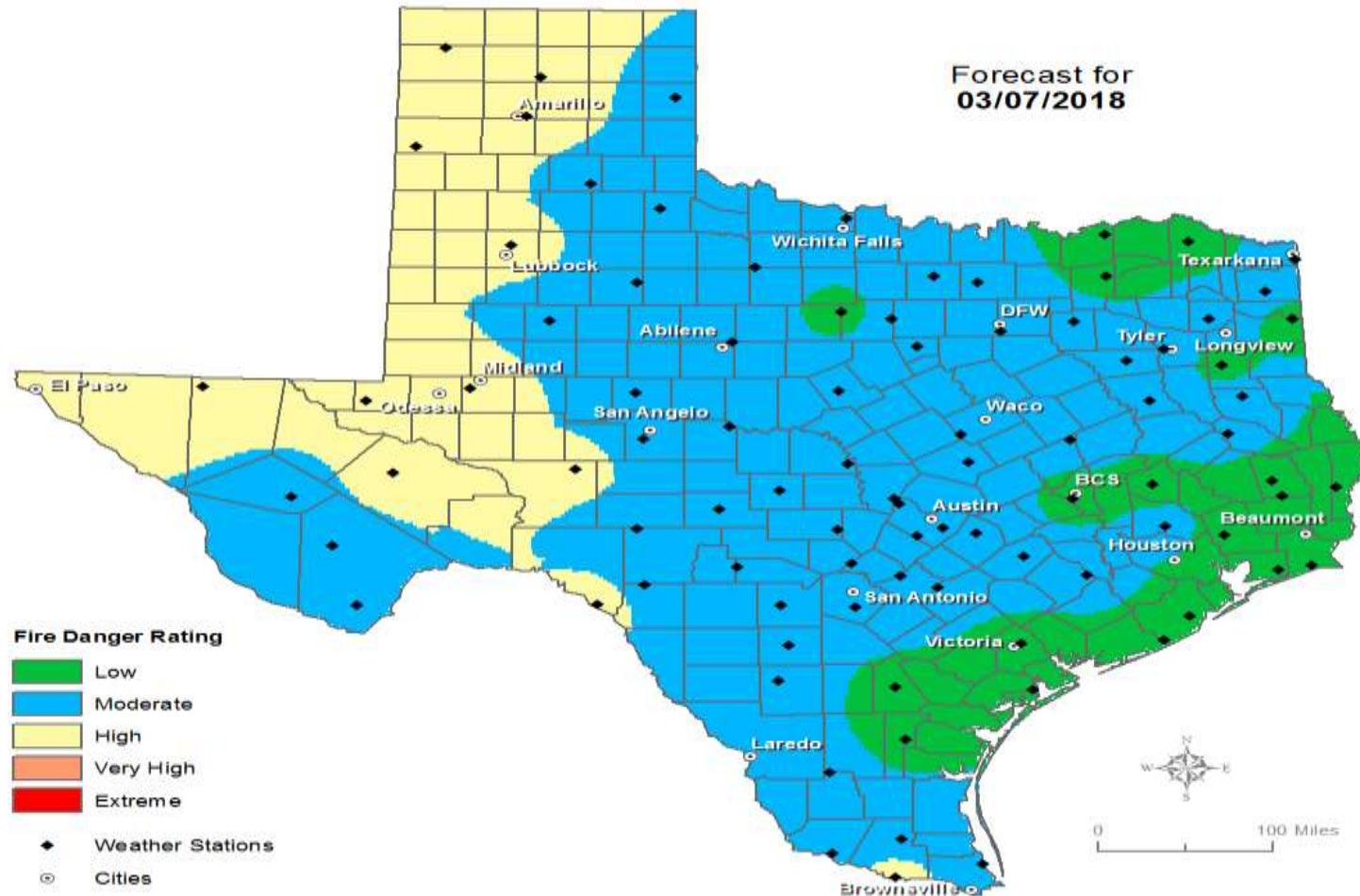
# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

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03/06/18	Flood Warning Extended	White Oak Creek near Talco affecting Franklin, Morris and Titus Counties

# Fire Danger Forecast

## Forecast Fire Danger

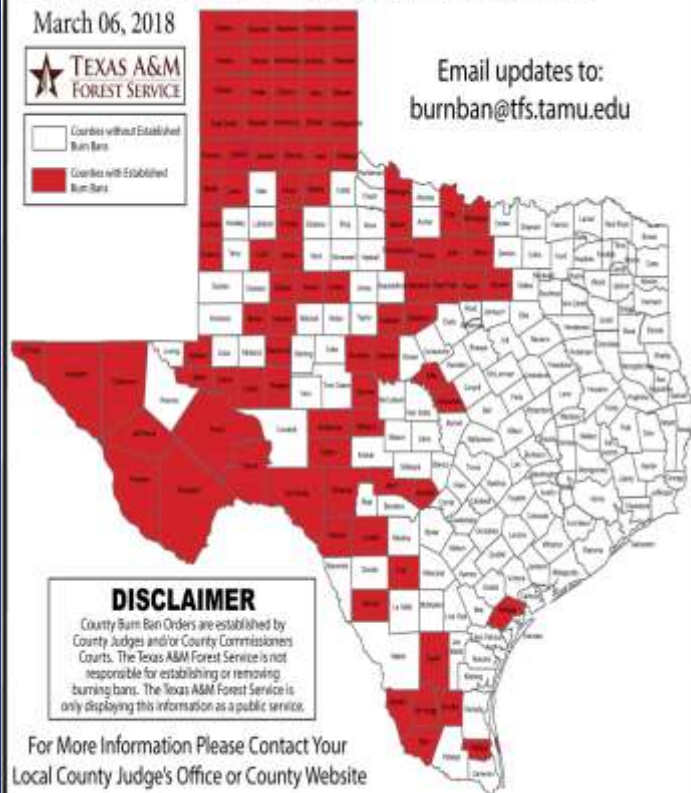
Forecast for  
03/07/2018



# Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

## OUTDOOR BURN BANS

March 06, 2018



### DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners' Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: [www.weather.gov](http://www.weather.gov)

Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

### Counties with Burn Bans: 91

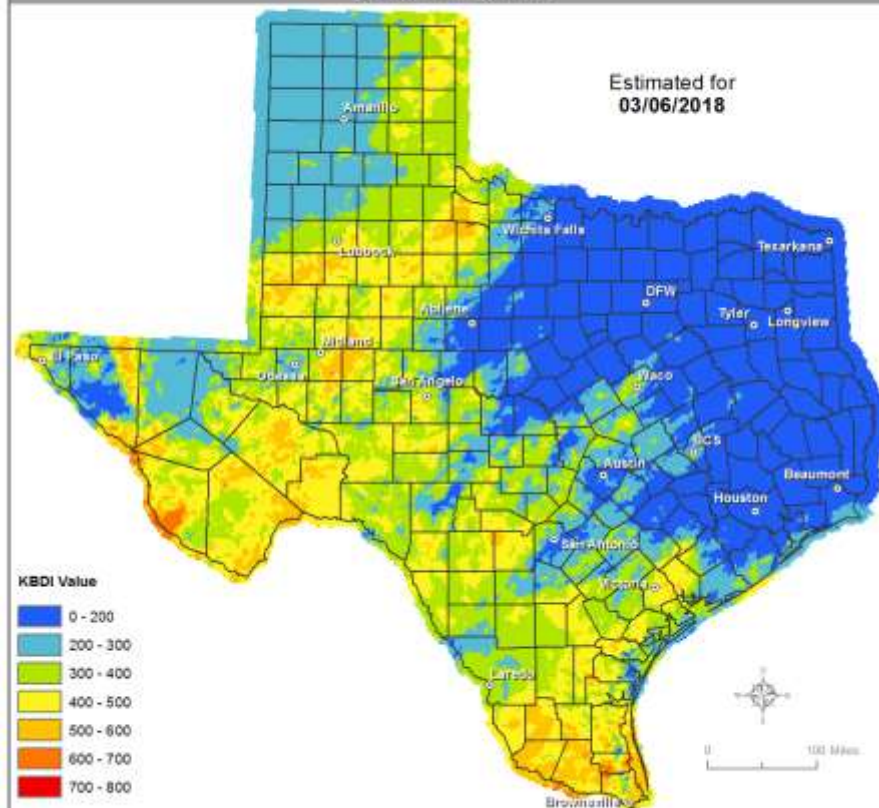
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 Clay Frazier  
 Cochran Potter  
 Coleman Presidio  
 Collingsworth Randall  
 Concho Reagan  
 Crane Redigo  
 Crosby Roberts  
 Culberson Runnels  
 Dallam Schleicher  
 Deaf Smith Scurry  
 Dimmit Sherman  
 Donley Starr  
 Duval Sutton  
 Eastland Swisher  
 Edwards Tarrant  
 El Paso Terrell  
 Fisher Throckmorton  
 Floyd Upton  
 Frisco Unalaska  
 Garza Val Verde  
 Glasscock Ward  
 Goliad Wheeler  
 Hall Wilbarger  
 Hansford Wilcox  
 Hartley Winkler  
 Hemphill  
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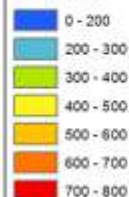
## Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for  
03/06/2018



### KBDI Value



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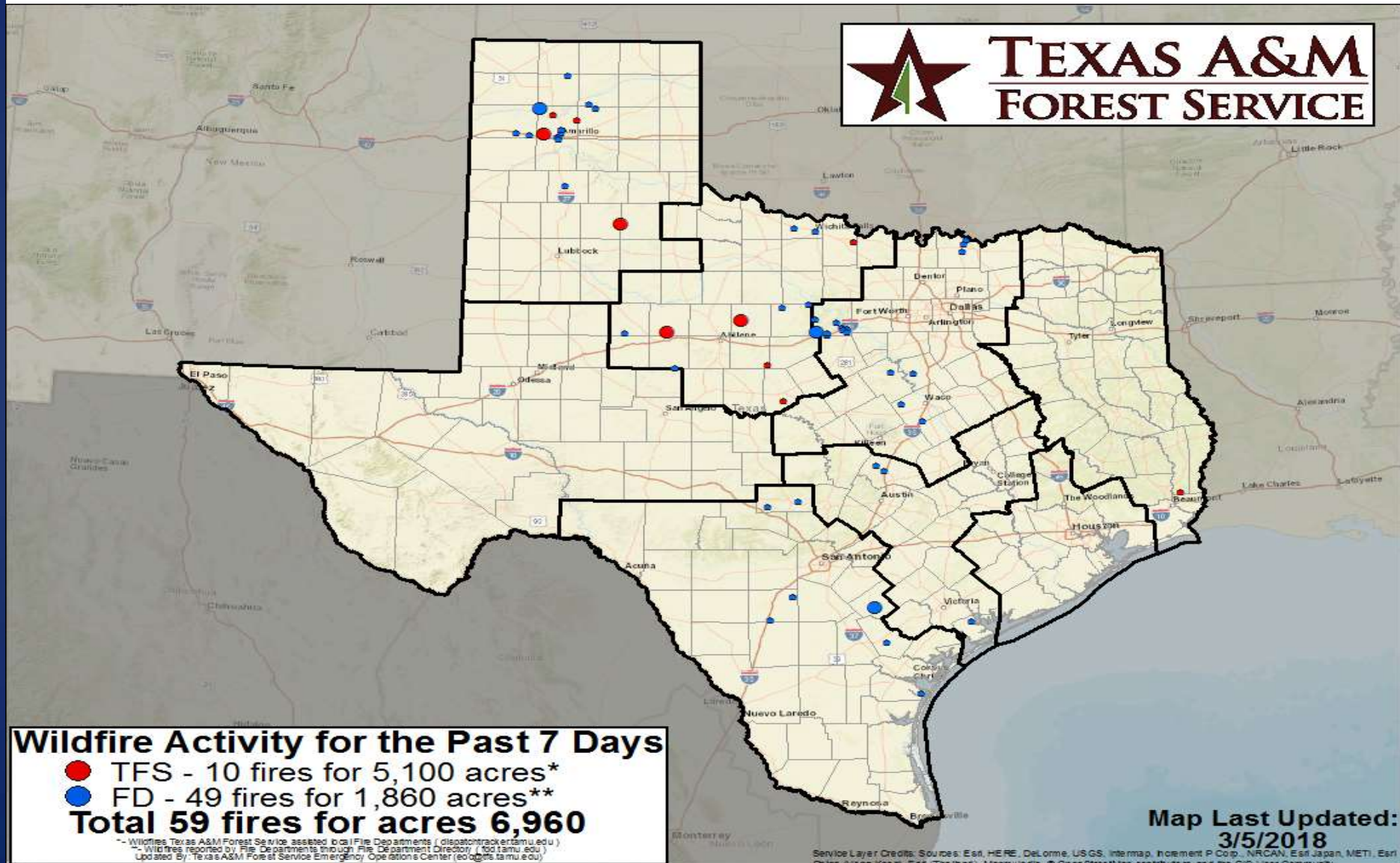
# Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
03/06/18	Red Flag Warning	Armstrong, Carson, Dallam, Donley and Moore Counties
03/06/18	Red Flag Warning Remains in Effect	Collingsworth, Gray, Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Libscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts, Sherman and Wheeler Counties
03/07/18	Fire Danger Statement	Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Parmer, Swisher, Terry and Yoakum Counties



# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 191 (+5) fires and 19,671 (+490) acres destroyed this year. There are 91 (-1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 45 (+4) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
01/11/18	03/29/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Yorktown
02/28/18	03/07/18	Advanced Incident Command System, Command and General Staff	G-400	Bryan
03/05/18	03/09/18	NFPA 472 HazMat Technician – Pro-Board Certification	H-501	El Paso
03/06/18	03/07/18	EOC Management and Operations	G-775	Edinburg
03/06/18	03/07/18	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Richmond
03/06/18	03/09/18	NFPA 1006 2013 Edition Confined Space Rescue Levels I and II Training (Pro-Board Certificates)	H-503	Lubbock
03/07/18	03/07/18	HazMat Refresher Training	H-302	Brownsville
03/07/18	03/07/18	AMBER, Blue, Silver and Endangered Missing Persons Alert Course	ALERT	Canadian
03/07/18	03/08/18	Advanced Incident Command System, Command and General Staff	G-400	Corpus Christi
03/07/18	03/08/18	Advanced Incident Command System, Command and General Staff	G-400	Georgetown

# Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
03/04/18	03/07/18	Emergency Management Association of Texas/San Marcos	Conference: 11 <sup>th</sup> Annual EMAT Symposium
03/05/18	03/07/18	North Central Texas Council of Governments/Fort Worth/Dallas	Full-Scale: Tech X
03/05/18	03/08/18	FEMA/EMI/Tyler	Training: Integrated Emergency Management Course
03/05/18	03/09/18	Texas Department of Public Safety - PSCS/Brownwood State Park	Comm Emergency Ops – Blue Team; Hurricane Exercise
03/05/18	03/09/18	Texas Department of State Health Services/Austin	Training: Liaison Officer
03/06/18	03/07/18	Texas Department of State Health Services/Bay City	Seminar: FEMA Rep Recovery Seminar
03/07/18	03/07/18	City of Houston OEM/Houston	Table-Top: Regional Wildfire Exercise
03/07/18	03/07/18	FEMA Region 6 and Federal Partners/Denton	Drill: FEMA R6 RRCS ROC Drill

# Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
03/07/18	03/07/18	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers/TBD	Table-Top: Three Rivers, Aquilla Exercise
03/07/18	03/07/18	City of Houston – UASI/Houston	Drill: WebEOC Monthly City/Regional Exercise
03/08/18	03/08/18	City of Pasadena OEM	Drill: Operation Ziffel
03/08/18	03/08/18	City of Duncanville	Functional: Tornado Incident with EOC Activation

## Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
03/02/18	03/24/18	South Padre Island	Spring Break – SPI